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Title **MULTI-SLICE DOUBLE INVERSION-RECOVERY BLACK-BLOOD IMAGING WITH
SIMULTANEOUS SLICE RE-INVERSION**

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal (BELOW)
2. ☒ Applicant(s) claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
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4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 4] {FORMAL}
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9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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